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The duties of Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children (ICPC) for the District of Columbia are decentralized among three Administrations: Child and Family Services Agency (CFSA), Youth Services Administration, and Addiction, Prevention & Recovery Administration. Each of these Administrations contains a Compact Alternate(s) who is responsible for the sending and receiving of ICPC requests.

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Address Correspondences to:

All incoming Foster Care, Adoption, and Residential ICPC requests to the District of Columbia originated by a public entity or a private child placement agency must be directed to **Child and Family Services Agency (CFSA)** for review and processing. Inquiries into District of Columbia policy and procedural issues should be directed to the CFSA ICPC Office Supervisor.

All Case Specific Correspondences and Inquires for ICPC requests made by Washington, D.C. to another state should be directed to the appropriate D.C. Government Administration that sent the original ICPC request.

GENERAL INFORMATION

ICPC Code Citation: D.C. Code Section 32-1041-1044

Age of Majority: Eighteen (18) years of age. If ordered by the court, children may remain in care until age 21 years.

Court Jurisdiction: The District of Columbia Superior Court has jurisdiction over abuse, neglect, foster care and adoption matters. D.C. Code Title 16, Chapter 23, Family Division Procedures, Title 3 and 4 in D.C. law 2-22, Child Abuse/Neglect Act. Child and Family Services Agency investigates allegations of neglect and physical abuse.

REQUIREMENTS

Reports: Quarterly Reports are required unless otherwise specified.

Licensing Requirements: All child-placing agencies must be licensed in the District of Columbia (D.C. Code Section 32-1002). A child-placing agency in another state must utilize an agency licensed in the District of Columbia for pre-placement and post-placement services to District of Columbia residents.

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Custody Investigations: Request are to be sent directly to Denise Williams, D.C. Superior Court Social Services, 409 E Street, N.W., Room 102, Washington, D.C. 20001. Telephone: (202) 508-1942.

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Interstate Compact on Juveniles: Joan Rohan, Youth Services Administration, 25 M Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20023. Telephone: (202) 727-2322.

Child Abuse/Neglect Registry: (202) 727-7804.